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This is How I Crossed Into a Wuxia World

Teaser chapter. Synopsis [here](#). Shout-out to translators~ Pick this up? *sparkly eyes* Btw apologies for any mistakes; I'm still brushing up on my Chinese.

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Luan Qi Ba Zao De Wu Xia Shi Jie

Volume 1 Chapter 1: This is How I Crossed Into a Wuxia World

Chu Junnan opened his eyes suddenly.

"Sleepy like hell. Sure enough, it's not really a good idea to pull 3 continuous all-nighters in order to finish the assignments for summer break."

Chu Junnan rubbed his sleepy eyes. He's hungry. What time is it now? It's about time he called ol' sis to cook.

"Ol' sis, I'm hungry!"

No one answered huh, don't tell me ol' sis is indulging in Korean soap operas again? Chu Junnan is helpless to do anything about his anthomaniac[1] ol' sis.

"Fierce woman, it's time to cook!"

Strange, why didn't anyone respond?

'Fierce woman' is a taboo phrase for ol' sis. Normally, if Chu Junnan calls her this at home, ol' sis would have long flew over in her Super Sai**n 7th form and gave him a round of Spi*** Bomb[2].

However, what Easygoing Chu should take note of the most currently is...

"What the heck place is this? Also, the heck's with these clothes I'm wearing?"

Chu Junnan realised he wasn't even sleeping in his room filled with posters of cute 2D girls, but a room filled with the atmosphere of ancient dynasty era,

and he wasn't wearing his sleepwear that screams of a homebody, but a...

Chu Junnan covered his face, almost unable to stop himself from venting.

"I understand now. I've seen many plots like this in web novels. This must be the legendary 'crossing of worlds'? What, it's the same plot as novels on Qi****[4]."

Chu Junnan got off the bed as he comforted himself.

"Yup yup, according to the experiences in my memory, I must have come to a certain world where strength is everything and only those who are strong have the capital to speak."

"Furthermore, I must be the trash of a certain large clan, without half a trace of genius, being bullied by others. Eventually undergoing some adventure, obtaining a cheat, beginning my **** Counterattack[5], and finally living a blissful life with members of the harem, yup yup.

It's a little exciting to think of it....

I didn't expect that the fantastical dream of ten million homebodies, was fulfilled by me like this.

Chu Junnan grew more and more gleeful, throwing things like his summer break homework to the back of his mind. Let's first take a look at what kind of world this is.

Chu Junnan nodded in satisfaction when he stepped out.

"Yup, a large residence and a large courtyard. Sure enough, it's a big clan."

Chu Junnan walked on, coming across a few attendants who were chatting merrily.

Here it comes! In accordance to the plot of web novels, these servants should be full of disdain towards me. Easygoing Chu stared at the 3 attendants, bracing himself to deal with the upcoming ridicule.

"Greetings, Young Master Dongfang!"

"Ah?"

"Young Master Dongfang, what's wrong?"

“No... it’s nothing, go ahead and continue with your business.”

“Yes, Young Master,” the attendants took their leave respectfully.

Author, it’s not the same as you promised. Weren’t I supposed to be disdained by the attendants?

No no, calm down a little. Chu Junnan comforted himself. It’s possible that he also has attendants whom he has good relations with in the clan, that’s why it’s not strange. Moreover, no matter what, he’s still a young master of the house. It’s natural for attendants to be respectful to him.

Chu Junnan regained his optimistic outlook.

Regardless, he should still head out. He’ll definitely trigger a “tyrants from the other clans bully me” incident.

Yes, there will definitely be a development like this.

Chu Junnan left the compound and arrived at the streets.

Chu Junnan looked at the surrounding scenery while thinking: he truly returned to the ancient kingdoms. Which dynasty would this be... the usual ‘crossing of worlds’ fantasy tales tend to use the alternate history trope; perhaps I’m in a continent with such a setting.

Walking on the streets, the wayfarers all shot me strange gazes. As expected, it should be that gaze used to look at the “despised trash of the clan”! Especially the gazes of the females, they are particularly...

Come, bring it on! When the time comes for me to “rise from the ashes”, heh heh heh...

Immersed in my fantasies, I accidentally bumped into a passerby’s shoulder.

“Oi, lad, watch where you’re going.”

“I’m sorry.” Chu Junnan reflexively apologised, turning around in a haste to leave.

That person stretched his hand and grabbed Chu Junnan’s shoulder, pulling Chu Junnan towards him in one tug. “You thought a single apology is... eh? I was

wondering who you were. Isn't it..."

Oh? It's here! Chu Junnan raised his head and looked at that person closely. He's pretty handsome. He appears like a good-for-nothing from some big clan. Furthermore, he has an entourage with him. There's definitely no way for me to escape!

Come, give me a ruthless beating. After I struggle for a bit, a lass from my clan will definitely come and save me.

Come, I've already braced myself to be beaten! Chu Junnan thought as he closed his eyes.

Come!

Come!

Huh? Why hasn't he hit me yet? Chu Junnan opened his eyes, only to see a few people kneeling on the ground. They seemed to be... trembling.

Don't tell me they're afraid of me?

"Young Master Dongfang, little one did not know it was you? I unintentionally offended you just now, I beg for your leniency..."

"You guys... won't beat me up?"

"Who... who dares to beat you ah? Little one was in a hurry and did not watch the road, accidentally bumping into you. This... this is a bit of little one's apology..." the good-for-nothing pulled out some silvers, and respectfully presented them before Chu Junnan.

"Little one truly is in a hurry, please allow little one to leave!" the young master before him spoke pleadingly towards Chu Junnan.

"Al... alright, you can go."

"Thank you very much, Young Master Dongfang, thank you very much, Young Master Dongfang," the young master led his attendants and ran off like the wind.

What the heck... Chu Junnan was stunned. This development isn't right, shouldn't I be beaten into a pulp?

Easygoing Chu walked one round around the streets. He realised that there weren't really any events which would cause him to be ridiculed, and could only obediently head back home.

However, how do I get home ah...

Chu Junnan crossed to this world not long ago, and is completely unfamiliar with the environment here. Hence, Chu Junnan got lost.....

"Er, I came here before, right?" The sky was getting dark and the people have already begun eating dinner, yet Chu Junnan still has not found his way back.

"Ah? To think that someone who crossed worlds would get lost... there wasn't such an event in the web novels!"

"Big Brother Chenyi?"

"If other people find out!? How shameful would that be ah!!!"

"Big Brother Chenyi!!!"

"Ah? Are you calling me?" Chu Junnan was not aware of his name in this world, so he thought that she was calling someone else all along.

Chu Junnan turned around and saw a delicate and pretty girl standing behind him. She was clad in a green garment and even had a precious sword on her back.

"Yo.... yo!" Chu Junnan has absolutely no idea who this girl is, but he's very sure that she's someone who's on very good terms with him, or else she will not call him 'Big Brother'!

Furthermore, Chu Junnan also found out that his name in this world is 'Dongfang Chenyi'. Yup, it sounds quite nice, even though it's not as handsome[6] as his own name.

"What's wrong, Big Brother Chenyi, to be pacing around here? It should be about time to head back for dinner?"

"Ah, yeah."

Hence, Dongfang Chenyi followed by the girl's side, making it back to his

own home.

“Phew, I almost couldn’t make it back.”

“Chenyi!” a dignified-sounding voice came from behind Dongfang Chenyi.

Dongfang Chenyi turned around. A majestic middle-aged person was standing behind him, “Weren’t you supposed to coach your cousin with her homework? Where did you run off to?”

“Ah, this...”

“Uncle, Big Brother Chenyi accompanied me to practice outside, that’s why he did not coach Little Sister Ziqing,” the girl beside Dongfang Chenyi actually helped him to cover up.

“So that’s how it is, I understand. Mengdie, you can go and get changed. Chenyi, just go and get some food first.”

“Yes yes, okay.”

Dongfang Chenyi could only obediently go and eat. As he ate, Dongfang Chenyi understood. The middle-aged person who spoke to him just now was his father, in other words, Dongfang Clan’s head. And the girl who spoke up for him just now was his cousin, Dongfang Mengdie.

Yup yup, it still very much feels like a web novel. According to the contents of the first 3 chapters of web novels, it should be about time he discovered his cheat... but why isn’t anything happening?

Dongfang Chenyi heaved a sigh, looking at the moon outside as he laid on the bed, “This development isn’t right ah, why isn’t anyone humiliating me? I won’t be able to ‘rise from the ashes’ this way ah....”

“No, if it’s not like this, then what meaning is there in me crossing worlds? How will I start my harem? I might as well go back and write my supplementary summer break assignments. Or perhaps I could stroll around; I might even meet some mysterious old man.”

Dongfang Chenyi stood up and walked out the door.

“Yup yup, there should be something like a... back mountain here, right?”

Dongfang Chenyi wandered throughout the residence and finally found the path towards the back mountain.

Yup, it's very quiet. There are even fireflies flying around the underbrush. A kid who grew up in the city like Chu Junnan has never seen fireflies before.

"Eh? Big Brother Chenyi?"

"Mengdie." Dongfang Chenyi saw Mengdie among the shrubs, holding a sword in her hand, appearing like she's doing sword training.

"What are you doing here, Big Brother Chenyi?"

"Well, I wandered around because I couldn't sleep." He could not possibly say he was looking for a mysterious old man outside, right....

"Nn, then I'll rest for a bit too." Dongfang Mengdie restored the sword to her back, and sat by Dongfang Chenyi.

"Big Brother Chenyi, why don't you sit down too."

"O.... Okay."

"Hehe." Dongfang Mengdie leaned on Dongfang Chenyi's shoulders, causing Dongfang Chenyi to feel very uncomfortable.

So... so close.... Dongfang Chenyi tensed up. After all, he had not made contact with any girls in school besides ol' sis. Moreover, he's through and through a homebody, so no girls had approached him.

So close.... I can feel her breath right next to me....

Moreover, she's so fragrant. Why doesn't ol' sis have such a smell on her?

"Big Brother Chenyi."

"Here! What's the matter?!"

"Hurhur, Big Brother Chenyi, are you nervous?"

"I'm... I'm... I'm not! Speaking of which, you really are diligent in your martial arts training ah, Mengdie."

"But of course, because I've always set Big Brother Chenyi as my goal. After all, Big Brother Chenyi is the genius of the entire Royal Dragon City. If I don't put

in some effort, I can't possibly catch up to Big Brother Chenyi."

"Wh... what did you say?"

"Ah, I said I wanted to catch up to Big Brother Chenyi ah."

"No, the previous line."

"Nn? Big Brother Chenyi is the genius of the entire Royal Dragon City?"

What... Dongfang Chenyi was shocked, I... am a genius?

[1] Someone who's super passionate about flowers. And these 'flowers' are referring to 'flower boys'.

[2] Dragon Ball reference. Super Saiyan and Spirit Bomb.

[3] Qidian. Website for Chinese novels.

[4] Original: X丝逆袭. The novel 吊丝的逆袭 (Diào Sī De Nì Xí) is about someone who was born poor and ugly, the many difficulties he faced and his 'counter-attack'. The 'X' was what the '****' originally was. Basically used for censoring to prevent infringement of rights.

[5] The 'Jun' (俊) from 'Chu Junnan' can mean 'handsome'.

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Sure Enough, I'm Not Really Used to Being a Genius

Any Singaporean readers here? Happy National Day!

Literal meaning of names... Dongfang (东方) – East/East Direction. Mengdie (梦蝶) – Dream Butterfly. Ziqing (紫晴) – Purple Clear.

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Volume 1 Chapter 2: Sure Enough, I'm Not Really Used to Being a Genius

“What’s wrong? Big Brother Chenyi?”

“Ahaha, nothing much, nothing much.”

“Big Brother Chenyi, I keep feeling that you’re strange today ah? Did you run into any trouble?”

Dongfang Chenyi hastily shook his head, “No no no, nothing happened, I’m absolutely normal today.”

It’d be more strange if he’s normal. Don’t tell me I’ve to say that I crossed over from the heavens and took over your Big Brother Chenyi’s body?

“Oh right, give me some martial arts pointers, Big Brother Chenyi. My martial arts hasn’t made any progress recently. Master will give me a harsh scolding.”

Pointers? How do I give pointers? Must we exchange blows? It should be fine, right? I’m a genius ah, any random move will be like the 18 Dragon-Subduing Palms and so on, right?

“Alright, what do you want me to give you pointers on?” Dongfang Chenyi isn’t afraid of anything.

“Give pointers on my barehanded techniques since you didn’t bring a weapon, Big Brother Chenyi.” Dongfang Mengdie took a stance as she spoke,

having a seemingly impeccable form.

Dongfang Chenyi followed up, taking a stance he thought was very cool, “Be careful, I’m going to attack.”

Alright, what move will I use later? Will it be 18 Dragon-Subduing Palms or Buddha’s Palm, no no, Six-Pulse Divine Sword[1] is stronger, but he can’t be too ruthless towards Little Sister.

Dongfang Mengdie noticed that Dongfang Chenyi remained motionless, so she took the initiative to make the first move.

Before Dongfang Chenyi could react, he already suffered a blow on his chest.

“Pu!”

Dongfang Chenyi vomited out a mouthful of blood. Boy, the ruthlessness of this little miss’ attack sure is abnormal ah.

“Big Brother Chenyi, are you alright? I... I did not do it on purpose.” Dongfang Mengdie immediately rushed over, asking worriedly.

Dongfang Chenyi held his wound, forcefully fighting the pain, and said: “I... I’m... fine, Mengdie... that’s a good... palm strike.” Once he finished speaking, his vision turned black and he fainted.

“Big Brother Chenyi!!!!”

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“So painful... this girl, really didn’t hold anything back ah...” The second day, Dongfang Chenyi endured the pain from the wound and wolfed down breakfast with much difficulty.

When Dongfang Mengdie came to apologise, Dongfang Chenyi used the “I was intentionally acting as your human target” excuse to cover up the truth that he was actually distracted at that time.

“But if I’m really a genius, doesn’t it mean I can’t imitate the method in fanciful stories: levelling up and flirting with girls?” with nothing better to do, Dongfang Chenyi wandered around the residence. “However, there are also some who begun with max level and then pretended to be a pig to eat the

tiger[2], yep, that's not a bad idea."

As Dongfang Chenyi pondered, a strange smile crept across his face again.

Wait a minute!

Dongfang Chenyi realised some things.

Come to think of it, someone who crossed worlds possesses both his memories of Earth and memories of this world. However, why... don't I have memories of this world...

Moreover... I'm not even aware of what martial arts I know...

This... my goodness ah...

"Chenyi!"

"Father!"

"You don't have much to do today, so why don't you go teach your cousin Ziqing homework."

"Yes..."

I didn't think I would still need to study ah, I've never heard that a protagonist needs to study. Protagonists only go to school to trample baddies, flirt with girls and so on... who would seriously study ah...

Nonetheless, come to think of it...

Could this be an opportunity to enter a girl's room?

Dongfang Chenyi had a grin on his face as he lightly pushed open the door of his cousin's room.

The moment the room door was pushed open, someone charged over and hugged Dongfang Chenyi, "Big Brother, you are finally willing to teach me!"

Dongfang Chenyi lowered his head to take a look. Yep, it's a girl who's slightly shorter compared to Mengdie. She has a brilliant smile on her face, appearing to be like those energetic girls from novels.

"Yup yup, I had time today so I came to teach you."

"That's great, you always ignored me before, sheesh."

“Hahahaha... well then, what do you want me to teach you?”

“Nn, it’s this.” After the two sat down facing each other, Dongfang Ziqing fished out a book. The words written on the cover were all ones that Dongfang Chenyi couldn’t read.

Strange... what words are these... tadpoles? Dongfang Chenyi panicked. Why can’t I read this, didn’t I cross worlds into the body of a genius?

Could God be playing with me...

“Big Brother, what happened to you?” Dongfang Ziqing tilted her head, staring at Dongfang Chenyi.

What should I do? I even can’t read it, how can I teach others ah...

“Ziqing!” Dongfang Chenyi spoke, grasping Dongfang Ziqing’s shoulders tightly.

“What... what’s wrong?” Dongfang Ziqing looked at Dongfang Chenyi, her face turning slightly red and she bashfully turned her head to the side.

“That... um... you can actually understand all these, right?”

“Eh?”

“No, what I mean is, you should be able to understand such simple information, right? You don’t actually need me to come and teach you, isn’t it?”

“This....”

As expected, this excuse is too far-fetched ah... Dongfang Chenyi smiled wryly as he looked at Dongfang Ziqing.

Only to see Dongfang Ziqing’s face redden as she looked away, saying shyly: “I really can’t hide anything from Big Brother... actually, even children can comprehend such simple information...”

Oh? I only spoke randomly. To think that it’s really like this... but what does she mean by saying even children can comprehend this? Can it be I am worse than even children?

“Actually, I only wanted to ask questions so that Big Brother Chenyi will stay a while longer. Because Big Brother Chenyi used to always ignore *someone*...

can't I?" Dongfang Ziqing's lovely appearance moved Dongfang Chenyi's heart.

"No... no problem, if you wish it, I can accompany you anytime..." Of course, as long as you don't show me tadpole text like this.

"Ok! However ah, I keep having this feeling... that Big Brother Chenyi is slightly different from before..."

"Re... really? How am I different?"

"Nn, Big Brother is always ice cold in the past; I've never seen you smile before. You were always cold no matter who the other party was..."

"Re... really? This... people will always change, right? Hahahaha..."

Sheesh, don't tell me this Dongfang Chenyi is someone who's cold outwardly but hot on the inside, or his face muscles were paralysed... unless, could this be a strange affliction geniuses have?

Nevertheless, the tadpole text was finally gotten rid of. Looks like I have to find an opportunity in the future to study this world's language properly.

After parting with Dongfang Ziqing, Dongfang Chenyi returned to his own room. Come to think of it, Dongfang Chenyi still had not properly admired his own room after coming to this world.

The interior is still pretty neat, and even has a faint fragrance. Don't tell me this Dongfang Chenyi is gay[3]? There isn't even a trace of a man's smell.

"As expected of a top scholar!" Dongfang Chenyi stared at a large cabinet of books. He then randomly pulled one out. It was 'tadpole text', alright.

My goodness ah... you guys speak normal words, so why don't you write normal words?

Dongfang Chenyi already grew sleepy from casually flipping through several books. He couldn't make head or tails of it ah. If this continues, how can he use his genius ah, won't he become trash?

Sure enough, I'm not really used to being a genius ah...

"Sigh? I kind of miss that fierce ol' sis of mine..." As expected, the abrupt crossing of worlds made Dongfang Chenyi kind of uneasy, "What is ol' sis doing

now? Watching soap operas?"

Dongfang Chenyi fell into a deep sleep this way...

- [1] All these are famous techniques.
- [2] Basically, pretended to be a (weak) prey to hunt the (strong) predator.
- [3] Author wrote 'gay' in English.

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I'm the One Who's the Protagonist, So Why Isn't It Happening to Me

Note: 'Big Brother', 'Little Sister', etc. terms are not always used for people who are actual siblings (ie. Mengdie is Chenyi's cousin, not younger sister).

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Volume 1 Chapter 3: I'm the One Who's the Protagonist, So Why Isn't It Happening to Me

"... What time is it now..." Dongfang Chenyi got up from the bed, "That's right, there's no watches and the like in ancient times, how troublesome ah."

Dongfang Chenyi looked out the window. The sun has yet to set. It should be about 3 to 4 in the afternoon.

"Strange, why is it so quiet ah, don't tell me there's an inspection?"

Dongfang Chenyi wandered around the residence, "Where did everyone go, how strange."

After walking for a while, Dongfang Chenyi spied an attendant passing by. Dongfang Chenyi hurriedly stopped that attendant.

"Hey, you there, why is it so quiet today?"

"So you were here, eldest Young Master. Master and the rest are receiving guests in the Great Hall. Second Young Mistress asked me to notify you. It seems like someone came to cause trouble for us; the atmosphere in the Great Hall isn't looking up."

"So that's how it is, I understand now."

Dongfang Chenyi ran towards the Great Hall hastily, pushing open the door. In an instant, every eye focused their gaze on Dongfang Chenyi.

“Chenyi, what took you so long?”

Dongfang Chenyi was too embarrassed to admit that he overslept, and hence he said: “This child was training just now and thus ran late.”

“Forget it, take a seat,” the Dongfang Clan Head pointed at the seat beside him.”

After Dongfang Chenyi took his seat, he carefully observed the surrounding people.

Besides his own father, the old fellows of the clan are present. They should be the Elders or some similar position. There’s also a few juniors of the clan. For example, young people like Dongfang Mengdie and Dongfang Ziqing. Finally, there’s a few senior attendants of the clan.

However, a youth sitting in the corner attracted Dongfang Cheny’s attention. He seemed to have seen him during meal time before. He should be the child of some Elder in the clan, right? Why is he sitting in the corner?

Moreover, Dongfang Mengdie is sitting next to him...

Giving the guests a look-over, they are all wearing white garments. The one sitting at the very front is a senior. One could tell he’s well-versed in the ways of martial arts from his appearance alone.

There are a male and a female behind him. The male is handsome and elegant. He should be slightly older than Dongfang Chenyi, about 20 this year. On the other hand, the female is a moving beauty, probably about the same age as Dongfang Chenyi.

“Is this young hero Dongfang?” the senior stared at Dongfang Chenyi. Honestly speaking, this gaze made Dongfang Chenyi extremely queasy.

“Recently, old me has heard of young hero Dongfang Chenyi capturing famed thieves of the Jianghu. Truly a young hero ah.”

“Mister Xiao, I’m flattered.” Dongfang Chenyi thought inwardly: So this Dongfang Chenyi is actually so formidable?

“These two are two of our Patriarch’s Conclave disciples.”

After the senior has spoken, the two disciples behind him rose, “Humble

one is Xu Xuan, I have heard much of Brother Dongfang's famed name, pleased to meet you."

"Brother Xu, it's a pleasure to meet you."

"This is my martial junior sister."

The female stood up, "Chu Xianxian. Well-met, gentleman Dongfang."

It's the same as my previous life; we're both surnamed 'Chu'. She might even be my ancestor...

"Miss Chu."

The senior nodded, "Well, we have finished our greetings. Shall we get down to business, Dongfang Clan Head?"

"Do speak. If our Dongfang Clan is able to help, we will definitely do our utmost." Although Dongfang Clan Head still had a smile on his face, he held the teacup in his hand with increased force. Looks like he's already aware of the other party's intention.

"Then I shall not beat around the bush. Actually, this old man's request is related to Xianxian. In addition, this matter is something our Patriarch personally consented to." Senior Xiao emphasized on the word 'Patriarch' in particular.

The numerous people present naturally understood Senior Xiao's reason for emphasizing that word. This Dongfang Clan is only notable in Royal Dragon City. However, the 'Patriarch' senior mentioned definitely holds a high position in the martial art circles.

The corners of Dongfang Clan Head's mouth gave a twitch as he said:
"Please speak."

"Dongfang Clan Head, you are also aware. The Xuanzhen Divine Sword Arts is harsh, and our Patriarch holds high expectations towards Xianxian, basically already nurturing her as our next Patriarch. The sect has a regulation: before becoming the Patriarch, one cannot have excessive entanglements with men..."

Oh oh oh oh! It's here it's here. This classical scene in xuanhuan novels, breaking off the engagement because he's too weak!

Dongfang Chenyi is suddenly excited again.

“Our Patriarch discovered that Xianxian appears to have a marriage proceeding with your family, so... our Patriarch wants to request Dongfang Clan Head to break off this engagement.”

The teacup in Dongfang Clan Head’s hand immediately shattered as he glared at the senior. However, as the Head of the clan, it was not convenient for Dongfang Clan Head to unleash his anger.

“Hurhur, to think that Chu Yutian has a good daughter like you.”

“I’m flattered, Uncle Dongfang.”

“Do not call me Uncle Dongfang, call me Dongfang Clan Head. You are the future Patriarch of Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect, I dare not accept.”

Chu Xianxian only gave a smile and did not reply.

The atmosphere is currently extremely serious. There’s only one person who’s on cloud nine, and he’s Dongfang Chenyi Oh oh! This standard Battle Through *** *****[2] déjà vu, it’s too awesome! Come come, insult me to your heart’s content.

At the same time, Dongfang Chenyi heard the youths from the Dongfang Clan sitting on the opposite side snickering.

Yup yup, that’s how the development goes.

Dongfang Chenyi is very satisfied with the proceedings before him.

“Of course, we won’t treat your Dongfang Clan badly.” Xu Xuan who’s behind him stood up and took out a box. There’s a small bottle inside.

“This is our Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect’s medicinal pill—the Enlightenment Pill.”

“Enlightenment Pill?!” With the exception of Dongfang Chenyi, everyone present got a shock.

Five Dollar Pill[2]? What the heck? It sounded like the snacks he ate when he was a child...

“This...” Even Dongfang Clan Head felt a bit tempted. All the members of the Dongfang Clan cast their eyes on the Enlightenment Pill.

Could this medicinal pill be very valuable? So that's how it is. When the time comes, they'll put pressure on father and spout some nonsense. If that's the case!

Dongfang Chenyi stood up and took a deep breath.

"Mister Xiao, we cannot accept this medicinal pill. Please take it back."

"Mister Xiao, we cannot accept this medicinal pill. Please take it back."

Wasn't that cool? It's cool, right? However, why was there an echo ah...

"Dongfang Yan, is there a place for you to speak here? Also, Young Master Chenyi, why are you poking your nose in!" a senior spoke out.

Ah? Dongfang Yan? Who's that? Dongfang Chenyi turned around and saw that the boy who sat in the corner has stood up, giving the same bewildered look to Dongfang Chenyi.

"Older Brother, you..."

Older Brother... what's happening, I am a dopey Older Brother.

"Older Brother, this is all caused by me, so let me shoulder it alone."

"Ah?"

What do you mean... don't tell me this special event that's limited to the protagonist... isn't happening to me?

That's not right? I'm the one who's the protagonist, so why isn't it happening to me... how do I enjoy life then...

"Dongfang Yan, how about you back down. I know it's hard for you, but we call the shots here!" another aged senior also spoke indifferently.

"Elders, will you say the same if the engagement they're breaking off today is your son's or grandson's?" Dongfang Yan is actually very daring.

What, isn't that my line! Dongfang Chenyi isn't satisfied anymore. It's as though I'm the supporting character and this dope is the protagonist!

Also, Dongfang Yan, why don't you change your surname to Xiao[3]...

"You..." Hearing Dongfang Yan's words, an Elder turned rigid, his entire

body grew taut, as though he would pounce on him any moment.

“Elders, what Big Brother Dongfang Yan said isn’t actually wrong. He’s the party involved, why don’t you all stay your hand from this matter,” Dongfang Mengdie’s ethereal voice sounded aloofly in the hall.

Goodness, it’s resembling *that* more and more. Can I only watch the show from the side? Dongfang Chenyi is not pleased.

No way no way! I can’t let this fellow go on!

Dongfang Chenyi cleared his throat and spoke loudly: “Miss Chu, has Grandfather Chu consented to this matter of turning down the engagement today?”

[1] Dou Po Cang Qiong or Battle Through the Heavens. The breaking off of engagement scene is also present in BTTH.

[2] Chenyi misunderstood Enlightenment Pill for Five Dollar Pill because they’re both pronounced as ‘Wu Yuan Dan’. Chinese Yuan is much ‘smaller’ than USD, so 5 Yuan is less than a dollar USD, the price of cheap snacks that children can afford.

[3] BBTH’s protagonist is called 蕭炎 (Xiao Yan).

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By the way, I'm rushing for school assignment submissions so I'll probably not be translating for a period of time (couple of weeks at most).

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"Grandfather did not consent... it was Master who consented." Chu Xianxian said.

Unexpectedly, it really was a marriage decided between the grandpas. To think my random words actually hit the mark....

"Since your grandfather has yet to opine, then I beg your pardon but my father will also not agree to your request. The marriage talks were originally initiated by the two households' grandfathers personally. They have not said to call it off as of yet. As such, who dares to abolish this marriage unless they wish to desecrate the deceased ancestors! I believe there should not be anyone in our clans who dares to do such an unruly thing, right?"

Thankfully, Dongfang Chenyi still remembered the lines, and was hence able to smoothly imitate the lines from ****[1].

"Young hero Dongfang Chenyi, what's the meaning of this? This matter clearly has no relation to you."

"How is it unrelated to me? I am also counted as a member of the Dongfang Clan, and is Dongfang Yan's Older Brother. I have made my decision regarding this matter."

“You!” Chu Xianxian was clearly anxious. She didn’t expect someone would suddenly meddle in this matter, much less the culprit being *that* Dongfang Chenyi.

“Say it then, what advantage does your Dongfang Clan have?” Xu Xuan who was beside Chu Xianxian stood up, looking at Dongfang Chenyi. “I can ask Teacher to give you 3 more Enlightenment Pills. Moreover, if you agree, I can also allow youngsters of your Dongfang Clan to enter Xuanzhen and train in profound martial techniques. This should be enough, right?”

Hearing one attractive term after another popping out from Xu Xuan’s mouth, the Elders felt their breaths quickening. The youths in the Great Hall were even more roused, gulping down mouthfuls of saliva. Entering Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect to train? My God, that’s something countless people can only dream of ah...

“Hmph, such generosity indeed. This Dongfang Yan dares not accept.” This time it’s Dongfang Yan who spoke. His face was filled with fury as he glared fiercely at Chu Xianxian and Xu Xuan, as though he’d pounce on them at any moment and shred them to pieces.

“Dongfang Yan, don’t take a mile when we give you an inch. We’ve already offered such good terms in respect of the past good relationship between your Dongfang Clan and the Chu Clan. This trivial Dongfang Clan of yours can easily be put in its place by our Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect anytime.” Xu Xuan realised that the gentle approach would not work on Dongfang Yan and directly used the might of Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect to threaten the Dongfang Clan.

Certainly, the Dongfang Clan is really nothing much to the Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect.

“Don’t say anymore,” Dongfang Yan glared fiercely at the people from Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect, “Miss Chu, you should understand how shameful it will be for the other party when the female side calls off the engagement. Hehe, it doesn’t matter to me much since my skin is thick. However, my father! He’s an Elder of the clan. If we agree to your request today, how will he take charge of the Dongfang Clan henceforth? How will he keep a foothold in Royal Dragon City?”

Go away, it truly is identical to the plot of a certain novel. When faced with a scene like this, Dongfang Chenyi couldn't help but vent.

"Dongfang Yan!" Xu Xuan suddenly stamped his foot, flying straight towards Dongfang Yan.

Resorting to violence? Dongfang Chenyi was surprised. That's not right, there wasn't such a development in the books!

A crease formed between Dongfang Yan's brows. He doesn't really know any martial arts. He truly will suffer losses if he battles it out with this Xu Xuan.

Because Xu Xuan took action too suddenly, before any of the Dongfang Clan members were able to react, Xu Xuan had already used qinggong[2] to instantly appear before Dongfang Yan, his hand in an extremely brutal and vicious claw gesture. The move Xu Xuan revealed is precisely one of the Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect's five ultimate techniques, Unconstrained Dragon Catching Hand, Second Style – Traversing Claw of the Golden Dragon.

It can't be right, don't tell me this dope is going to get clawed to death?

Just as Xu Xuan prepared to strike Dongfang Yan's chest, an intense force dissipated Xu Xuan's strike.

Xu Xuan was astonished. Two blasts of wind headed towards him. Even though Xu Xuan raised his hand to block them, his body was blown away and he hit the wall. Xu Xuan immediately spit out fresh blood.

"You are not allowed to bully Big Brother Yan!"

At this moment, Dongfang Mengdie who had been sitting silently beside Dongfang Yan, stood up.

"Se... Second Young Mistress Mengdie, do... do you also want to oppose Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect?" An Elder did not expect that other than Dongfang Chenyi, Dongfang Mengdie also wanted to meddle in this matter.

"Hmph, just a disciple of the Carefree Sect. This 'Six Suns Palm of Mount Heaven' was truly used very well ah." Senior Xiao stared solemnly at Dongfang Mengdie as though he would make his move at any moment.

What the heck is 'Carefree Sect'? Don't tell me it's Jin Yong's Demi-Gods

and Semi-Devils now? However, I don't remember there being Xuanzhen Divine Sect whatchacallit in Demi-Gods and Semi-Devils ah... The more Dongfang Chenyi thought, the more depressed he got.

"Forget it, Uncle Xiao." Chu Xianxian stepped forward and said with a salute, "I was truly too rash regarding this matter today, I hope everyone will be lenient on me. As for the issue of calling off the engagement... how about this. Both Young Master Dongfang Yan and I are only 16 years old, merely at the marriageable age. Two years later, there will be a Youth Hero Meet that occurs once every 10 years at Mount Hua. I hope that Young Master Dongfang Yan can participate at that time."

"If Young Master Dongfang Yan is unable to obtain a position within the top ten, I will break off the engagement on the spot. What do you think?"

This girl is so ruthless. She must be the legendary 'pretentious bitch', right?

"Hmph, don't think that I, Dongfang Yan, will still be trash two years later. Let me tell you today. Don't even mention the top 10, even if it's the top 3, this young master can also obtain it for you to see!"

"Dongfang Yan, you better remember those words clearly!" Xu Xuan finally revived. Staring angrily at Dongfang Yan, he said, "Two years later, you Dongfang Clan better watch out!"

"Well then, visitors from Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect, this matter has already been settled. Visitors can take their leave from our Dongfang Clan already, yes?" the tone Dongfang Clan Head used also increased in intensity. It appeared that he also disapproved of the way Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect carried out things.

"Hmph, Xuan'er, Xianxian, let's go!" Senior Xiao stood up, led the people from Xuanzhen Divine Sword Sect and left.

Phew... that really scared me. Dongfang Chenyi released a breath. Wrong! He was too engrossed in watching the show just now, and his limelight was all snatched by this Dongfang Yan fellow. This will not do!

Dongfang Chenyi realised that Dongfang Yan had already left the Grand Hall. Don't tell me this fellow... is going to search for the cheat? Can it be that

later on, an old fogey will emerge from this Dongfan Yan fellow's ring? After which he will give this Dongfang Yan fellow a miraculous mental cultivation technique?

Or perhaps Dongfang Yan will enter a strange mountain cave, after which he will comprehend some martial arts on the BUG-level[3]?

No can do, no can do. I'm the one who's the protagonist ah. I'm obviously the one who should run into things like this. I can't let this Dongfang Yan fellow run into them. I'd better go find that fellow!

Dongfang Chenyi pondered and started to search for Dongfang Yan all over the place. However, he couldn't find any signs of Dongfang Yan anywhere.

How strange, how weird, where has this fellow gone to? I've already went to the most-probable back mountain, but I did not find anyone. Don't tell me there's still some secret passage there?

As Dongfang Chenyi wondered, he returned to the back mountain and searched again, leaving no stones unturned. However, he still did not find any secret passage.

"Don't tell me I'm overthinking it?" Dongfang Chenyi thought. Just as he wanted to turn and leave, he suddenly heard a loud sound.

"It... it can't be, right... I've looked over that area a while ago..." Even though he thought this way, Dongfang Chenyi went over nonetheless.

This....

Right at this moment, Dongfang Chenyi saw a ragged old man sending his inner energy to Dongfang Yan. The old fogey gave a wave of his hand just as Dongfang Chenyi wanted to walk over, and promptly collapsed on the ground. It looks like the transferring of inner energy has completed.....

I'm the protagonist, but the cheat was snatched away by the supporting character!

[1] Around chapter 6 of Battle Through the Heavens.

[2] [Qinggong](#)

[3] Too OP.

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